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SUBJECT: CYPRUS: GUYER OPTIMISTIC OVER RESUMPTION OF
INTERCOMMUNAL TALKS

1. ACCORDING TO GREEK MFA, UN UNDER SYG GUYER DEPARTED
ATHENS APRIL 11 IN OPTIMISTIC MOOD. AT DINNER APRIL 10
WITH GREEK OFFICIALS (GUYER HAD EXTENDED MEETING WITH
PRIME MINISTER, FOREIGN MINISTER AND OTHERS EARLIER IN
DAY); GUYER EXPRESSED HOPE SITUATION WOULD SETTLE DOWN
SOON WITH RESUMPTION OF INTERCOMMUNAL TALKS.

2. MFA CYPRUS DESK OFFICER TOLD EMBOFF THAT GUYER, AFTER
CONFERRING WITH SYG WALDHEIM UPON HIS RETURN TO N.Y.,
INTENDED TO INSTRUCT OSORIO-TAFALL TO TAKE INITIATIVE
TO SEEK AGREEMENT ON FORMULA FOR RELAUNCHING
INTERCOMMUNAL TALKS. MFA OFFICIAL SAID GUYER INDICATED
"FACE-SAVING FORMULA" HAS ALREADY BEEN WORKED OUT
MUTUALLY. SUCH FORMULA IN "OPINION" OF MFA OFFICIAL
WOULD BE STRAIGHTFORWARD REITERATION BY BOTH SIDES OF
1968 BASIS OF NEGOTIATIONS. HE REMARKED GUYER
CHARACTERIZED PROBLEM OF INTERRUPTION OF TALKS AS
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